



Round Valley

Tour of Hunterdon and Somerset Counties
Retraces Some of Old Stage Coach Routes



JUST four miles west of the Somerville traffic circle, a macadam road to the right invites the traveler to Readington and on to Round Valley. Immediately the hum of Route 29's traffic is replaced by the quiet of the countryside; billboards give way to far-off views, heightened by the spires of churches peeping through the trees. Ahead are the Cushtunk Mountains.

At Drea Hook (Dutch for "Three Corners"), a handsome old yellow house marks the way for a left turn, followed quickly by a right turn on the dirt road marked to Round Valley. Upward climbs the road sharply, portending the startling panorama which unfolds at the peak. As the grade levels off, the motorist catches glimpses of Round Valley, like a giant empty reservoir or a pre-historic lake. Mountains hem in the valley, enclosing 3,000 highly fertile acres in an area three miles long and two miles wide.

BY JOHN T. CUNNINGHAM

The road through the valley is arrow-straight. Picket fences at the far end lend a 19th Century air and signal a left turn for Stanton. Around the base of Round Mountain curves the route, through pleasant old Stanton to a "T" intersection. Turn right, and continue across the willow-edged South Branch of the Raritan through splendid rural scenery. The road rises over the Lehigh Valley Railroad tracks, then the traveler stays left to Route 30.

Across the concrete highway is Flemington, ever worth a visit. If Flemington is decided upon, get back on the route by following traffic circle signs to Somerville. Otherwise, turn left on Route 30 to the traffic circle, swing around (toward Somerville)

and then take the next road to the right, marked "Three Bridges." Quickly a "T" intersection is reached, calling for a right turn to lovely old Reaville, whose sturdy white houses go back to stage coach days.

REAVILLE calls for keeping left, for Clover Hill and Neshanic, along the base of the gently undulating Sourland Mountains. Turn left at Neshanic (where plenty of signs at the base of the old stone Dutch Reformed Church point the way). Then, it's left again just beyond the old mill and the highly attractive railroad bridges.

Road signs make it easy to get to Centerville—once the midway point on the Old York road between New York and Philadelphia—where the old red barn and the blacksmith shop date back to the days of the "Swift-Sure" stage route. Just north of Centerville is Route 29—and the way back home.

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It won't make any difference if you use a box camera or a super-duper reflex. The finished black and white photograph will be what counts. Rules are as simple as can be, and the rankest amateur has just as much chance of winning as the expert.

The photographs will be judged solely on their interest and appeal, no matter what the subject. A heart-warming picture of a lamb may be chosen, or a compelling photograph of a sweeping landscape.

The rules are listed below, but actually all you have to do is take a picture within sight of the road while on a "Let's Explore" trip, get it developed and printed and send it to "Let's Explore," Newark Sunday News, 215 Market street, Newark 1, N. J.

There has to be a time limit, of course, so ten days is allowed after each "Let's Explore" trip has been described in this magazine. (Today is June 24, for instance, so ten calendar days bring you to mid-night of July 4 as the deadline.) You may enter as many photographs as you want for one or all of the "Let's Explore" trips.

There will be five prizes in each week's contest. FIRST PRIZE WILL BE \$15, SECOND PRIZE \$10, THIRD PRIZE \$5 AND THE FOURTH AND FIFTH PRIZES WILL BE \$3 EACH.

Now for the rules:

1. Photographs must be in black and white, and clear enough for newspaper reproduction.

2. The photographs may be of any subject under the sun, but must be taken within sight of the road on a "Let's Explore" route.

3. Entries must be identified (a) as to the publication date or when the route was described in The Newark Sunday News Magazine, and (b) approximately where they were taken on that route.

4. Entries for any route must be mailed to "LET'S EXPLORE," NEWARK SUNDAY NEWS, NEWARK 1, NEW JERSEY, before midnight on the tenth day after the route has been described.

5. Any person shown in a photograph must be identified by name and address, and it is understood that person has granted permission for publication of the photograph.

6. Ownership of any entry remains with the contestant, but an entry will be returned only if a return addressed envelope of adequate size and with proper postage accompanies it.

(The first of these tours for camera fans appears on following pages.)

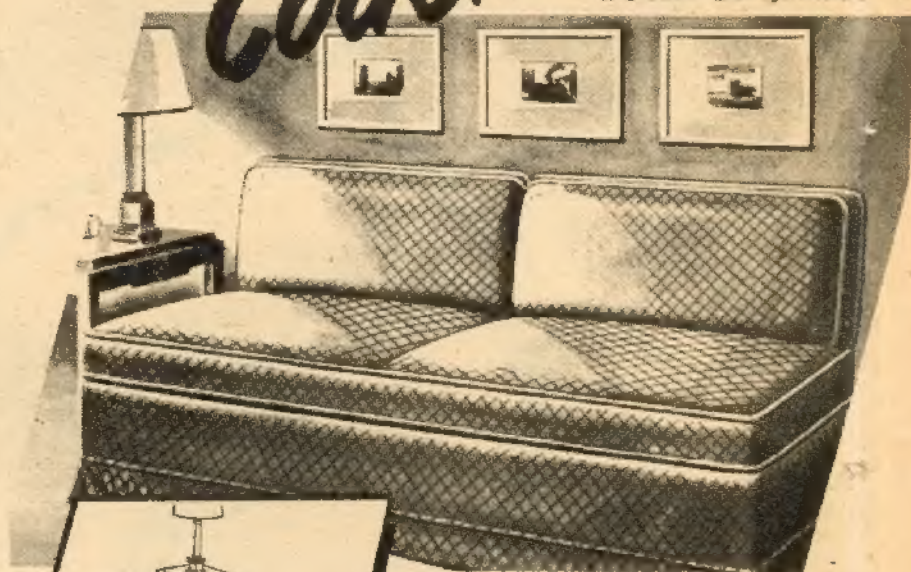
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'Let's Explore'
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Laurel avenue, Arlington,
receives third prize of \$2.

CONTEST RULES

PRIZE WINNING PICTURES

In the Newark Sunday
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